

# RNAi - The RIGHT track to therapy

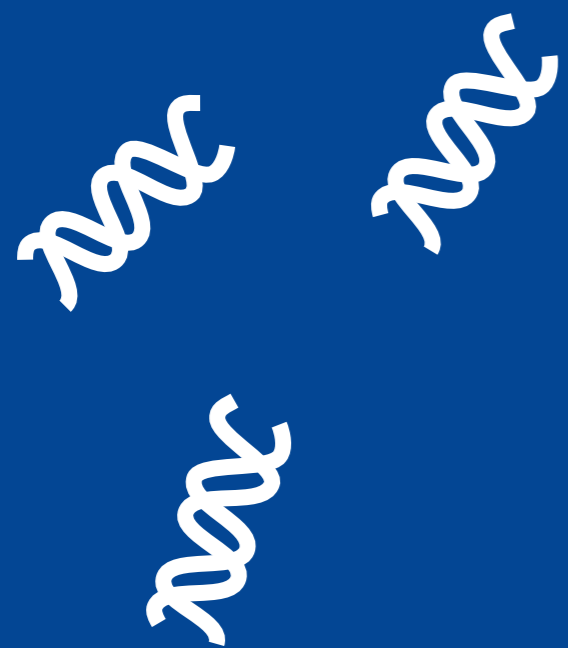
Symposium on RNA interference technology as human therapeutic tool

**3-5 November 2008**

**International Auditorium**

**Boulevard du Roi Albert II, No. 5 / 2**

**Brussels**



## Main topics:

- Chemical modifications of siRNAs and delivery strategies
- Vector systems for RNA interference approaches
- RNA interference towards therapeutic approaches

## Confirmed speakers:

Patrick Aebischer, Patrick Arbuthnot, Ben Berkhout, Arndt Borkhardt, Jesper Bramsen, Beverly L. Davidson, Nicole Déglon, Barbara Demeneix, Gunther Hartmann, Giorgio Inghirami, Alexander Karlas, Jörg Kaufmann, George Kollias, Judy Lieberman, Muthia Manoharan, John Mattick, Kevin V. Morris, Maria Mota, Yoshiro Niitsu, Takahiro Ochiya, Cristina M. Rondinone, Reinhold Schäfer, Motomu Shimaoka, Gert Storm, Andreas Voigt, Jesper Wengel

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The aim of this symposium is to give the audience insights into the immense potential of RNA interference for therapeutic approaches in order to foster the development of RNAi-based therapeutics. In addition, this symposium should provide a platform for presenting achievements made in the RIGHT consortium during the last four years.

Scientific advisors: Fritz Eckstein, Volker A. Erdmann, Piet Herdewijn, Jörg Kaufmann, Jørgen Kjems, Thomas F. Meyer, Francois Natt, Gerard Wagemaker

Organising committee: Simone Hess, Elke Müller, Katharina Meyer, Sara Skogsäter, Dominique Wasquel, Bruno Cucinelli

### About the RIGHT project

RIGHT stands for RNA Interference TechnoloGY as Human Therapeutic tool. It is a research project supported by funding under the Sixth Research Framework of the European Union and coordinated by Thomas F. Meyer at the Max-Planck-Institute for Infection Biology in Berlin. The project started in January 2005 for a duration of four years. It brings together 25 research institutes, universities and companies and aims at exploiting and further developing the vast potential of RNAi to provide effective therapeutic tools for the treatment of severe diseases. More information regarding the RIGHT project can be found on the RIGHT website:

[www.ip-right.org](http://www.ip-right.org)